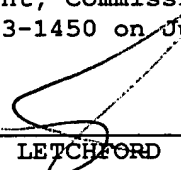


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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action dated July 27, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments into the above-identified application. Each of the amendments finds full support in the claims, specification and/or drawings as filed.

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